Social Studies Test: Chapter 6

(#1-10) Match the description with the correct person. Write the correct letter next to each description.

A: Elizabeth Lucas Pinckney
B: Benjamin Franklin
C: John Peter Zenger

1. Started the *New-York Weekly Journal* _______
2. Grew up on a plantation and taught slaves how to read _______
3. Became an apprentice at the age of 12 _______
4. Arrested for seditious libel, writing harmful things about the government _______
5. Was defended by Andrew Hamilton in his/her trial _______
6. Was the child of an officer of the English army _______
7. Experimented with new crops, especially indigo _______
8. Became a successful printer at a young age _______
9. Was a famous writer, scientist, and inventor _______
10. Started the first library, newspaper, and hospital in Philadelphia _______

(#11-30) Use the word bank to fill in the correct word for each sentence.

Name: _________________________________ Date: ________________
11. At the center of a colonial town was a(n) ____________________________, an open space where animals could graze.

12. A young person had to become a(n)______________________________ before becoming an artisan.

13. A(n) _______________________________ is a source of facts and figures.

14. The ________________________________ revived many colonists’ interest in religion.

15. The journey from West Africa to the West Indies was known as the __________________________.

16. The ________________________________ was the destination of the second leg of the voyage along many triangular trade routes.

17. ________________________________, South Carolina, was a thriving trade center of the South.

18. ________________________________ was a leader of the Great Awakening.

19. Harvard, the oldest college in the United States, was established near _________________ in 1636.
20. __________________________________ was an enslaved African who bought his freedom and told his life story in a book that was published in 1798.

21. In 1763, the colonies’ first Jewish synagogue was established in ____________________, Rhode Island.

22. __________________________________ was brought to North America on a trading ship in 1756 and later wrote a book about his life.

23. A(n) ____________________________ is a skilled and experienced worker who makes things by hand.

24. Slaves were bought and sold using ______________________________, which connected Africa, England, and the Thirteen Colonies.

25. Colonial tradesmen carried guns and other goods to ports on the coast of __________________________.

26. Benjamin Franklin settled in the city of ________________________________, where he found a growing city with a diverse population.

27. Many New England towns were ______________________________, meaning that they relied on themselves for most of what they needed.

28. When ____________________________ was a young student in Virginia, he copied lists of rules of polite behavior into his notebook.

29. The College of William and Mary is the second-oldest in the United States, and it opened in ____________________________, Virginia in 1693.

30. In the ________________________________, a group of enslaved people fought with slave owners in South Carolina in 1739.

**Bonus: Complete the sentence.**

Most of the enslaved people brought to the Colonies came from __________________________.